

## Vermont Daily Transcript.

ST. ALBANS, VT.  
TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1868.

## Blair's Revolutionary Letter.

There are doubtless Democrats who disapprove of Blair's revolutionary letter, but it is a fact which cannot, with truth, be denied, that it meets the approval of the leading men and presses of the party throughout the country. The National Intelligencer says "it is a document which ought to find its way to every hamlet and voter in the land." There is little fear but that the document in question will obtain a wide circulation; the Republicans will take care of this; for it cannot fail to do their cause good. It is argued by Montgomery Blair and others that there is nothing revolutionary in the letter, but that it is simply an appeal to the ballot box. This will not do. We must take the letter as written and printed, and not as Democratic stump-orators would have it. The Memphis Avalanche, which rightly interprets the meaning of the letter, says, after quoting from the letter: "Had the above extract appeared in the Avalanche as editorial, the political fossils would have raised their hands in holy horror and stigmatized us a revolutionist. We would have been taunted with the worn out stereotyped complaint that such independent expressions injure the Northern Democracy and the Southern people in the North. But strange to say, it was the publication of the letter from which we take the above extracts, that secured Mr. Blair his nomination for the Vice Presidency. Thus it will be seen that the North is far ahead of the South. They are ripe for revolution."

The N. Y. News, Ben Wood's organ, thus speaks of Blair and his "bold letter to Col. Brodhead."

## BLAIR.

The most striking feature of the campaign, thus far, has been the effect produced by Gen. Blair's manly avowal of the bold and fearless policy which he counsels the Democratic party to adopt with reference to the carpet-bag governments, which have been imposed upon the South by the fragmentary Congress at Washington.

The party has been accustomed, those last seven or eight years, to cowardly counsels and timid leaders, that not only its chiefs, but its rank and file, were almost frightened out of their wits when the brave and wisest statesmen, whom we have nominated for the Vice-Presidency, first snatched from the trembling hands of its bearers the old flag, which they have so long trailed in the dust and feared to raise, and gallantly bore it to the front, emblazoned with its ancient principles and radiant with success.

He at least knew, that to advance, to attack, to fight boldly for the right, would insure victory, and the fruits of victory. He had learned, in the better days of the Republican party, when he was one of its foremost and most trusted leaders, that the sympathies of the people ever cluster around those that are aggressive and progressive, and that they fall away from the timidly conservative. He had seen that old Democratic party, which had been glorious in the days of the reformer, Jefferson, melt away beneath the conversation of a Monroe. He had seen it rise again greater than ever and more glorious, under the leadership of that king of men, Andrew Jackson, to fall once more into nothingness under the conservative counsels of timid leaders. He had witnessed its gradual decay under such prudent statesmen as Cass, Buchanan, and their coadjutors, and finally had seen it kicked into such abject submission by Stanton and the Radical party, that, when its Convention met in this city on the 4th of July, most of its leaders and many of their followers were ready to abandon their ancient principles and their own chieftains, and to adopt the measures, and swear fealty to the leaders of the Radical party.

It was at this moment that he started them with his bold letter to Col. Brodhead, wherein he declared that it was the true policy of the Democratic party to vow the utter overthrow and complete destruction of the carpet-bag governments of the South and the reestablishment of White governments in those States. The first feeling which this letter excited among our party leaders was one of fear and doubt. We ourselves heard many delegates to the Convention declare that they regretted extremely that such a letter had ever been written; for though it was right, it was, nevertheless, imprudent and impolitic, and could only result in mischief.

These were the groundless fears of men whom repeated defeats had demoralized. The Missouri statesman and soldier knew better. He had been the petted pupil of Benton. He had been one of the most popular chieftains of the Republican party in the days of its progress, and when it was marching on to dominion. He had saved Missouri to the Union at the outset of the war, by his bold, defiant, and brilliant management of the Federal means in that powerful State. He had been one of Sherman's ablest and most efficient corps commanders in the "march to the sea," and no man knew better than he that the popular heart is to be won and success to be achieved by boldness, decision and aggressiveness.

The result has proved the correctness of his view. His name was no sooner placed before the Convention than it became the rallying cry of every delegate; and Confederate and Federal Generals vied with one another in expressing their confidence in and admiration of the man who had stepped so dauntlessly forward to lead the attack upon the enemy's stronghold. With one accord they placed the flag in his hand, and he has borne it to the front. By this act, he made himself and the flag which he bore the centre of the conflict; and around him and the policy which he represents the fight now rages. Will he conquer, or will he fail? Let the enthusiastic shouts of the Democracy answer the question. From Maine to California—from the Lakes to the Gulf—they are gathering around him, and will fight

with him, and will never give back an inch, but will press forward till they shall have vindicated the superiority of the White race, and re-establish the Union under the Constitution.

## Mr. Vallandigham and the Nomination of Seymour—How it Came About.

Every day brings to light some new feature in the conduct of the managers of the Democratic Convention. It is now understood that the night preceding the nomination, the Ohio delegation met, and, having carefully canvassed the situation, again determined to support Pendleton. With this understanding the delegation adjourned. Later in the night Vallandigham and two New York delegates had a consultation, which lasted until daylight.

When the Convention met, Ohio, instead of voting for Pendleton, withdrew his name, and before the delegation knew what they were about, the name of Seymour was hoisted and carried through with a rush. When the trick was discovered there was a great outcry among the Ohioans, and Vallandigham, Gen. McCook, Pugh and Thurman, who were discovered to have been the perpetrators, were alluded to in no very temperate epithets.

These men the Democratic party must hold responsible for the humiliating attitude it holds before the eyes of the nation, and at their door should be laid the blame of the sacrifice of so fair a prospect of success.—Washington Correspondence of the New York Herald, July, 16.

## REPLY BY MR. VALLANDIGHAM.

In the above are many inaccuracies. 1. The Ohio delegation did not the night before the nomination determine to continue to support Pendleton. On the contrary McCook gave distinct notice to the delegation that in the morning he would present Mr. Pendleton's letter of declination. Some time later than midnight the delegation, after a hot debate, adjourned, without agreeing upon a candidate. In the morning they met; Hancock received a majority of the votes; there was much excitement, and finally it was resolved to cast the first ballot for Packer. Seymour was canvassed and found to be acceptable whenever it should be deemed advisable to present his name.

2. Vallandigham did not meet with two delegates nor with one or any, from New York, at all that night, much less consult with them till daylight. In the morning, upon the assembling of the Convention, he learned personally and definitely that the New York delegation did not feel at liberty to support Seymour, and replied that if necessary he would be put in nomination notwithstanding.

3. Seymour's name was not "hoisted" before the Ohio delegation knew what they were about. Colonel McCook called the delegation out, and by vote was instructed to put Seymour in nomination.

4. There was no "trick," and therefore no "discovery," and of course, no "outcry" from Ohioans on the subject. 5. Neither Mr. Pugh nor Judge Thurman was present nor had knowledge of the movement, and no epithets, "temperate" or otherwise, were applied to them nor to anybody else.

6. The men who were responsible for the nomination of Governor Seymour rejoice, no doubt, in the responsibility, especially in view of the strong and rapidly increasing probabilities of his election.

7. As a matter of opinion, I believe that had New York withheld her vote from Mr. Hendricks, Judge Chase would have been nominated within an hour.

So much by way of correction. As to the manner in which the nomination was brought about and partly happened, it is not proper that anything be said further, except that positively Governor Seymour had no knowledge or intimation of the movement till twenty minutes previous to his nomination, and acted in good faith throughout, and, moreover, will go into the Presidential office without a single pledge or promise of any kind made previous to his nomination.

As to the pretended exultation of a part of the Republican press over the Democratic nominations, pay no heed to it. It is an old trick and very shallow. The more sagacious and candid Republican organs, such as the New York Times and Commercial Advertiser, advise their friends "to stop trifling and boasting, and set to work without delay." And the Advertiser declares that "Seymour is the most popular man in the Democratic party."

Electors already hold within a year show that the Democracy are almost in the ascendancy in States enough to give majority of electoral votes to Seymour and Blair. Add now to these that vast multitude of burdened, wronged, oppressed and discontented people among the Republican masses, and who are determined to "have a change," and success in November is certain.

I have now myself been in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Delaware, and can say with truth that among the Democratic masses no nominations have been made for years which are received with so much satisfaction, and that I have never known a time when among these masses there was such universal confidence in success. Nothing now is needed but combined wisdom and boldness in planning and conducting the campaign.

C. L. V.

PASSED OVER THE VETO.—On Saturday, President Johnson vetoed the bill discontinuing the Freedmen's Bureau bill after January 1, 1869. Congress wasted no time in passing the bill over the veto, so that it is now a law.

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